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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: INITIATION OF ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION OF STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS FROM CHINA, GERMANY, ITALY, LUXEMBOURG, RUSSIA SOUTH AFRICA AND TAIWAN

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE ENFORCEMENT & CONTROL

RE: INITIATION OF ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION OF STRUCTURAL
STEEL BEAMS FROM CHINA, GERMANY, ITALY, LUXEMBOURG, RUSSIA
SOUTH AFRICA AND TAIWAN

- 1. ON JUNE 20, 2001 THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ITS INITIATIONS OF STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, GERMANY, ITALY, LUXEMBOURG, RUSSIA, SOUTH AFRICA, AND TAIWAN.
- 2. FOR PURPOSES OF THESE INVESTIGATIONS, THE PRODUCTS COVERED ARE DOUBLY-SYMMETRIC SHAPES, WHETHER HOT-OR COLD-ROLLED, DRAWN, EXTRUDED, FORMED OR FINISHED, HAVING AT LEAST ONE DIMENSION OF AT

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LEAST 80 MM (3.2 INCHES OR MORE), WHETHER OF CARBON OR ALLOY (OTHER THAN STAINLESS) STEEL, AND WHETHER OR NOT DRILLED, PUNCHED, NOTCHED, PAINTED, COATED, OR CLAD. THESE PRODUCTS ("STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS") INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO, WIDE-FLANGE BEAMS ("W" SHAPES), BEARING PILES ("HP" SHAPES), STANDARD BEAMS ("S" OR "I" SHAPES), AND M-SHAPES. ALL PRODUCTS THAT MEET THE PHYSICAL AND METALLURGICAL DESCRIPTIONS PROVIDED ABOVEARE WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THESE INVESTIGATIONS UNLESS OTHERWISE

EXCLUDED. THE FOLLOWING PRODUCTS ARE OUTSIDE AND/OR SPECIFICALLY EXCLUDED FROM THE SCOPE OF THESE INVESTIGATIONS: STRUCTURAL STEEL BEAMS GREATER THAN 400 POUNDS PER LINEAR FOOT OR WITH A WEB OR SECTION HEIGHT (ALSO KNOWN AS DEPTH) OVER 40 INCHES.

THE MERCHANDISE SUBJECT TO THESE INVESTIGATIONS IS CLASSIFIED IN THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES ("HTSUS") AT SUBHEADINGS 7216.32.0000, 7216.33.0030, 7216.33.0060, 7216.33.0090, 7216.50.0000, 7216.61.0000, 7216.69.0000, 7216.91.0000, 7216.99.0000, 7228.70.3040, AND 7228.70.6000.

ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND

CUSTOMS PURPOSES, THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE MERCHANDISE UNDER INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSITIVE.

3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THESE CASES HAVE BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBERS:

COUNTRY CASE NUMBER

PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA A-570-869

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GERMANY A-428-831

ITALY A-475-831

LUXEMBOURG A-423-810 SOUTH AFRICA A-791-811

TAIWAN A-583-838

4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING THE ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED

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PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT LYN JOHNSON (CHINA), THOMAS SCHAUER (GERMANY), MIKE STROLLO (ITALY), DAVID GOLDBERGER (LUXEMBOURG), DAVID DIRSTINE (SOUTH AFRICA), AND KATHERINE JOHNSON (TAIWAN), OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL

TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-5287, (202) 482-0410, (202) 482-0629, (202) 482-4136, (202) 482-4033, OR (202) 482-4929, RESPECTIVELY.

5. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

PAUL SCHWARTZ

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## **Company Details**

\*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party

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